

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Luedtke : Art Unit: 3626  
Serial No.: 09/682,106 : Examiner: Vanel Frenel  
Filed: July 20, 2001 :  
For: ONLINE METHOD FOR :  
BINDING AUTOMATIC TYPE :  
REINSURANCE :

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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Applicant respectfully requests entry and consideration of the following amendment submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2006, and made final.